

**AKIN GUMP
STRAUSS HAUER & FELD LLP**

Attorneys at Law

FAX TRANSMISSION

September 3, 2003

Total number of sheets including cover: 11

NAME	COMPANY	FAX	PHONE
Examiner Jacob Y. Choi	USPTO, Group Art Unit 2875	703.746.4765	703.308.4792

From: John D. Simmons

Direct Dial: 215.965.1268

Fax: 215.965.1210

Re: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/636,565

**Message: USPTO: PLEASE HAND-DELIVER OR ELECTRONICALLY ROUTE TO
EXAMINER JACOB Y. CHOI.****DO NOT FORMALLY ENTER THIS PAPER INTO THE APPLICATION FILE.**

Examiner Choi:

As a follow-up to our phone call on August 26, 2003, enclosed is a Draft Response for discussion at a short telephone interview that we have tentatively scheduled for **Thursday, September 4, 2003 at 11:00 AM**. Please call me if you need to schedule another time for the interview.

Also, enclosed is an Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form (PTOL-413A).

210000.0012/12US

☒ Return fax via Interoffice Mail

Secretary: CCR

☐ Hold fax for pickup

Ext: x21358

Fax Operation Verification: _____

The information contained in this facsimile message is attorney-client privileged and confidential, and is intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible to deliver it to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify us immediately by telephone, and return the original message to us by mail at the address below.

One Commerce Square, Suite 2300 / 2005 Market Street / Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103-7086 / 215.965.1200 / fax: 215.965.1210 / www.akingump.com

7018510 v1

Received from < > at 9/3/03 8:45:00 AM [Eastern Daylight Time]

PTOL-413A (08-03)
 Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0851-0031
 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/636,565 First Named Applicant: Jean-Marc Wilhelm
 Examiner: Jacob Y. Choi Art Unit: 2875 Status of Application: After Final

Tentative Participants:

(1) John D. Simmons (2) Examiner Choi
 (3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: 9/4/03 Proposed Time: 11:00 (AM)PM

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rej.</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Long, and</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) _____	_____	<u>(Schweber,</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) _____	_____	<u>Jüstel et al.</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	<u>Shimizu et al.)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

☐ Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

See attached pp. 1-9 of a "Draft Response"

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE:

This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

John D. Simmons, Reg. No. 52,225
 (Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature)

 (Examiner/STP Signature)

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.133. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 21 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. Do NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-117-9199 and select option 2.

[DRAFT – September 3, 2003]

~~I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, ON THE DATE INDICATED BELOW.~~

BY: _____ Date: _____

PATENTBox Non-Fee Amendments**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re:	Patent Application of Jean-Marc Wilhelm <i>et al.</i>	: Group Art Unit: 2875 :
Appln. No.:	09/636,565	: Examiner: Jacob Y. Choi :
Conf. No.:	6484	: :
Filed:	August 10, 2000	: :
For:	AIRCRAFT LIGHTING MEANS COMPATIBLE WITH A NIGHT VISION IMAGING SYSTEM	: Attorney Docket : No. 10000-12US : (100081 US/WO)

[DRAFT] RESPONSE

The following Response is submitted in response to the final Office Action mailed April 30, 2002 (Paper No. 8).